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In re Application of ) Before the Examiner  
James T. Carey, et al. ) Ellen M. McAvoy  
U. S. Serial No. 10/678,547 ) Confirmation Number: 2518  
Filed: October 3, 2003 ) Group Art Unit: 1797  
LOW-VOLATILITY FUNCTIONAL )  
FLUIDS USEFUL UNDER CONDITIONS ) Family Number: P2002J111 US2  
OF HIGH THERMAL STRESS AND )  
METHODS FOR THEIR PRODUCTION )  
AND USE )

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

AMENDMENT

The purpose of these amendments is to claim a Viscosity Index (VI) of over 140 and a pour point less than -20C and claim specific additives. Claim 17 has been amended to require a pour point of less than -30C. Support can be found in paragraphs 47, 16 and Table 5.

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